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Title: Reported incidents of firing and destruction of houses along Assam-Arunachal Border.

SHRI KIREN RIJIJU (ARUNACHAL WEST): Thank you, Mr. Speaker, Sir. This is a matter related to violation of the recognition of the tribal rights and violation of the Supreme Court's direction of constituting Boundary Commission. That is why, I am raising the matter.

Sir, the common point between you and me is that both of us are born in Assam. Today, the people of Assam and Arunachal Pradesh are living in a very cordial and very peaceful atmosphere. The recent tension generated by some of the officials has really given a dent to the friendship between the two State[r4]s.

The friendly relations between the two States are very important. On the 4th April, some of the forest officials of the Assam Government entered into the Arunachal territory ...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: What is meant by 'foreign officials of Assam'?

SHRI KIREN RIJIJU : I did not say 'foreign officials' but I said 'forest officials'.

MR. SPEAKER: I thought that you have said 'foreign officials'.

SHRI KIREN RIJIJU : They have raided the houses of some of the tribal people...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: You just mention it. You need not mention the details.

SHRI KIREN RIJIJU : It says that after 2002, you cannot evict. They have violated but there is no action. At the same time, there was firing in the border areas of Assam and Arunachal where the largest hydro power plant is there. Let me put it correctly that it is not the people of Assam and Arunachal who are fighting with each other. The culprits are some of the political elements and the officials. I would request the Ministry of Home Affairs and the Government of India to prosecute those officers who have violated the human rights.

MR. SPEAKER: Now, Shri P.C. Thomas, you can raise only one matter.